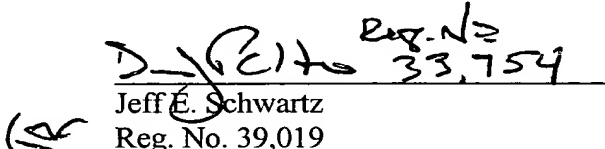


REMARKS

The above amendment to claim 21 has been made to correct a typographical error and does not address the substance of the subject matter defined therein. In the event that any fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1067.

Respectfully submitted,

23 July 2001


Jeff E. Schwartz
Reg. No. 39,019

McKenna & Cuneo, LLP
1900 K Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006
Tel: (202) 496.7500
Fax: (202) 496.7756

Claim Amendments, 23 July 2001

21. (amended) The method of claim 20 [21] wherein said porous catalyst layers comprise a material selected from a group comprising: a mixed ion and electron conducting ceramic and a composite of metal and an ion conducting ceramic.

00010551 072301